



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **ATTN: BOX AF**
Toshiharu HAYASHI et al. : **Confirmation No. 7018**
Serial No. 09/987,385 : 2001_1697A
Filed November 14, 2001 : Group Art Unit 1745
COVER FOR SECONDARY BATTERY : Examiner M. Ruthkosky

RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.111
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1745

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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- ☒ Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
☐ is enclosed.
☒ has been previously submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

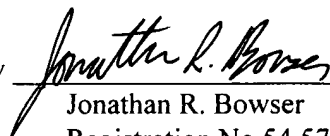
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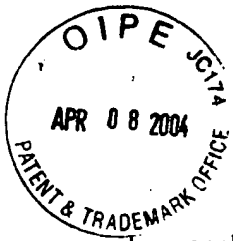
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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975, with the EXCEPTION of deficiencies in fees for multiple dependent claims in new applications.

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